

## B. R. T. VICTIMS SHEEP, SO GERMANS THINK

Such Outrages Could Not  
Prevail in the Kaiser's  
Dominions.

### NORTHROP'S REPORT.

How the Germans Fought What  
They Thought to Be an  
Unjust Law.

It may comfort the victims of the brutality of B. R. T. employees during the recent revolt against the two-fare extortion to know that the people of Germany class them with sheep. Prof. Henry E. Northrop, who for seventeen years has taught German in the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute and was in Germany at the time, returned to-day on the Graf Waldersee. He talked to hundreds of Germans about the matter, and found that they were unanimous in the belief that nothing of the kind would happen in Germany.

"The management of a railroad that permitted or encouraged its employees to assault passengers who refused to pay a fare that a court had declared illegal would not be out of jail an hour after the first offense in Germany," said Prof. Northrop. "The German people would not tolerate such outrages."

**Whose Servants Are the Police?**  
They were particularly puzzled over

to the effect that the police stood up to and allowed citizens to be assaulted by the uniformed employees of the railroad company. They asked me all serious questions whether we employed our policemen to protect the citizens or to protect our corporations. I find that the sentiment of the thinking people in Germany is that our people are too careless—too indifferent to their own rights.

"The people of Germany are intensely interested in the United States. So many of them have relatives or acquaintances here that they are kept in close touch with happenings in our country. Although they live under a monarchy they consider that in some respects they have a larger measure of freedom than we enjoy."

"The best Trust revelations and the insurance scandals created a profound impression in Germany. Our meat trade

there is now practically dead, and our insurance companies authorized to do business in Germany are accomplishing very little. Prominent men in Germany to whom I spoke are unable to understand why we don't send a lot of our trust magnates to jail.

How the Germans Do It.

"The German people are jealous of their own rights. A citizen who is wronged comes under my observation. The Reichstag passed a law levying a tax upon first, second and third-class fares on the railroads, which are owned by the Government.

"The people felt that the tax was unjust and protested against it. They made their protest in practical form. Those who had been accustomed to travelling first-class began to travel second class, those who had travelled second class bought third-class tickets and those who would ordinarily have travelled third class bought fourth-class accommodations.

"By purchasing tickets a grade lower than they would have bought otherwise the people saved money, because the price of the ticket with the tax added was slightly below the old fare in the class above.

"In consequence of this move, which was participated in by the whole first-class class, the receipts of the Government-owned railroads showed a perceptible shrinkage.

Now the Reichstag will repeal the tax law. The independent spirit manifested by our German friends when they feel that their rights are abridged would be a bad thing in this country."

**Fight in the Steerage.**

The voyage of the Graf Waldersee was uneventful until yesterday, when a terrible fight developed in the steerage. Half a dozen men started it, and it spread until hundreds were involved.

Cap. Kreeh and his officers tried in vain to get order, until they put the ringleader of the disturbance in irons. The rioters were Polish and the efficacious expedient of turning the hose on them did not occur to the captain.

**PLUNKITT GIVES  
TRAMP A CANING.**

Residents of West Fifty-first street near Ninth avenue were amazed to-day to see ex-Senator George Washington Plunkitt, of "honest graft" fame, bat-

tle a man in a saloon at Macdougal street. The man, who was in the saloon, was a former Tammany leader, and when he overhauled the man used it to give him a sound thrashing, shouting: "Thief! Rowdy! Bum!"

At the Plunkitt residence, No. 22 West Fifty-first street, it was learned the hired girl had given the tramp, who claimed to be hungry, a small box of sandwiches made from her own breakfast. He threw the box at her feet and cursed her.

Mr. Plunkitt, who was in his study, snatched up his cane and went for the panhandler, who took to his heels, but was not speedy enough. When Mr. Plunkitt finished he told the tramp to "skidoo."

The servant girl yelled "Police!" so the neighbors were round to see Plunkitt in action, but no policeman was in sight.

## CHEESE MERCHANT FELL TO WILY THIEF

He Was a Fellow-Country-  
man, Too, and Objected  
to Parsimony.

This is the lamentable tale of the misfortune of Salvatore Coria, a cheese ranch owner of Sardinia, and his dishonest fellow countryman, Francisco Garabaldi. The moral is that cheese merchants who have sold their wares in the American market should hurry back to their curd farms and, above all, should beware of parsimony, for by that Coria lost \$2,500, his profits on his last voyage.

Coria met Garabaldi while he was waiting for a cheap steamer home. The Sardinian carried round with him the handsome profits of his cheese venture, but from his habits of life no one would ever have suspected it. He lived chiefly in Italian cafes, sleeping in the back rooms and looking over the ship's slats each day to see how much longer he would have to live here and figuring how he could best save the \$2,500 almost intact.

In a saloon on Macdougal street he met Garabaldi. Garabaldi's picture is in Inspector McLaughlin's art collection, and Garabaldi has seen many jells from the inside. But of this Coria knew nothing. Garabaldi told him where he could get the cheapest Chianti, and the most bread and garlic for a nickel, and for this the two became as brothers.

Garabaldi told Coria that he too was a merchant of the island and had sold many cheeses to Americans. He trusted Coria, he said, so he would tell him that at that very moment he had a stronger than Coria, he said, so he would take charge of the cheese merchant's money if he had any. The rest is soon told.

Detective Archibald found Garabaldi to-day in a saloon at Macdougal and Third streets. At Police Headquarters Coria identified him as the man whom he had confided his cheese money, but of the money not a trace was found. Therefore does Coria go sorrowing and friendless.

**LIGHTNING EXPLODES HALF A  
TON OF DYNAMITE.**

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., Sept. 12.—Lightning yesterday struck a building in which half a ton of dynamite was stored near Richter's Colliery, causing an explosion that was heard twenty miles away. Nearby buildings were blown to atoms.

## ELMINA LEADS AT START OF YACHTS

Dense Fog Obliterates Entries  
for Reid Cup Contest at  
Sandy Hook.

The first of a series of three races over the international cup course off Sandy Hook was scheduled to be sailed to-day by the big schooner-racing Queen, owned by J. Rogers Maxwell, and the Elmina, owned by Frederick F. Brewster. The prize is a \$2,500 cup offered by Commodore D. G. Reid, of the Atlantic Yacht Club, under the auspices of which club the race was to be sailed. The two yachts passed out by Sandy Hook this morning and were jockeying about the Sandy Hook Light ship soon after 10 o'clock, awaiting the arrival of the stakeboats. There was a 15-knot wind from the southeast and a heavy haze off shore, in which the racers were only dimly visible from Sandy Hook. The regatta committee had planned to make the first race a triangular one, ten miles to a leg, the first leg to windward. The yachts must finish within five and a half hours from the start, exclusive of time allowance.

About 11 o'clock the yachts again became visible and the race was started, with the Elmina apparently slightly in the lead.

**DRIVEN THROUGH THREE  
BARRELS BY FALLING CAR**

An empty dirt car which carries earth from the Pennsylvania tunnel shaft in Jersey City to the docks at the river fell off of the high trestle at Green and

Jersey streets, fatally injuring Hugh McLeavy, who was driving a team attached to a big wagon filled with empty barrels. McLeavy was riding on the head of a barrel which rested on two other barrels, and when the descending car struck McLeavy on the head it knocked him through the barrel on which he was sitting and the two under it. After passing through the three barrels his body dropped to the street.

The horses ran away and smashed into a buggy in which Street Cleaning Commissioner Matthew Quinn and Street Cleaning Inspector Andrew Boyle were riding, neither of whom was injured.

McLeavy, who lives at No. 16 Wayne street, was sent to St. Francis Hospital, where it was said he had a fracture of the skull with both legs and both arms broken. He will probably die.

# Fall Opening

THURSDAY AT OUR 3 STORES.



A Feature of This Opening Is that it Inaugurates the Starting  
of Our First Real Season at the New Brooklyn Store,

a photographic reproduction of which is shown at the head of this announcement. This massive establishment, in the heart of Brooklyn's busiest and most convenient shopping centre, is the best equipped "Family" store in Greater New York. Spacious display quarters to make purchasing a pleasure, and everything for man, woman and child that is right in style and right in price. Not "cheap things," but good things cheap.

Each Department in all Three Stores Speaks for Itself Below—Read:

**Clothing for Men.**  
(At All Three Stores.)

In introducing our Fall lines we are not going to deal with the meaningless generalities of "better styles"—"bigger value"—"lower prices," etc., but will get down to brass tacks by telling you WHY Moe Levy Fall clothes will appeal to men who know good styling, and to men who KNOW good value.

Firstly, every suit that we sell is made in our own work-rooms under our own supervision, and in this way we are enabled to impart style ideas and swaggar individualities such as no other retailer can show. Then, again, because you get garments direct from the maker, we are able to put better workmanship into the clothes, and without charge a mighty lot less than any other retailer in Greater New York. For variety in styles and patterns the new product surpasses any of our previous endeavors.

"Won't you pay us a look?" Prices are from \$10.75 for a suit equal to any about town at 1/2 more price—up to \$30, which outfit rivals the acme of tailoring art.

**Young Men's Clothing.**  
(At All Three Stores.)

The young men are the style-thirsty wearers of clothes. They want garments extreme in cut, extreme in pattern. They want snappy, up-to-date clothes. In our showing of Fall clothes for the young men we have embodied just the sort of fashioning they meet their fancy at prices anything but fancy. Prices start at \$8.50 and end at \$25.

**Boys' Clothing.**  
(At Brooklyn and Walker St. Stores Only.)

Our Boys' Clothing Department is second to none in Greater New York. Every style and every size is represented. There is a suit for a little bit and a suit for a great deal. There are the knock-about suits and the fancy dress novelties. Suits for the youngster who is just bidding adieu to his kilt shirt up to the boy whose next trousers will be long ones. No matter how big the boy, no matter how little you want to spend, we can please you. Prices from \$2.50 to \$15.

**Men's Furnishings.**  
(At All Three Stores.)

Our Fall showing of the accessories of men's wear is remarkably fine. Smartly fashioned hats, cravats of quality that show all the new knicks that fashion prescribes. The proper quality of shirts, collars, comfortable underwear, in fact, everything that men of taste demand. As we do not manufacture our own furnishing goods, for your protection we carry only well-known, reliable makes, with the guarantee to refund money for anything that goes wrong. Popular prices.

**119-125 Walker St. 380-382 Fulton St. 1457 Broadway**

(Corner Smith), (Near 42d St.),  
BROOKLYN. NEW YORK.

# Moe Levy & Co.

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FULTON STREET, BROOKLYN.

## Brooklyn's Best Bedding Store Bargains.

The best bedding at a third less than any other store in Brooklyn, bar none. A special branch of our service is devoted to the equipping of hotels and boarding-houses; an inspection of the offerings will reveal unbelievable economies.

<b>White Enamelled Beds, 4.74</b> Exactly like illustration, with fine brass rails and knobs, 14-in. posts, with heavy filling, any size; worth \$6.25. <b>French White Enamelled Beds, 4.74</b> Heavy 14-in. posts, 14-in. filling; fancy brass scroll design; one of the best beds made and will last a life-time; sold by specialty stores at \$11.95; clearing here at <b>7.98</b>	<b>Elastic Felt Mattresses.</b> In one or two parts; fine tufting and satin tick, actually worth \$12.95. \$9.98 Mattresses, mixed pair, 4.6x6.6. 4.98	<b>Telescope Bed Couches</b> Telescope Bed Couches, two single or one double bed, best National Wire, both m. Value \$8.50, both m. <b>4.74</b>
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## Wonderful Money-Saving Sale of MOST BEAUTIFUL RUGS

**Special Introductory Leader Friday:**  
125 Alex. Smith beautiful Brussels Rugs, fully 12 feet long by 9 feet wide, in about 30 different patterns to select from, such as floral, Oriental, &c.; suitable for any room in the house. A rug usually selling at \$21.50; special to-morrow **13.75**

**\$12 American Smyrnas, Reduced to 6.49.**  
Here are just 18 Rugs which we intend to sell to-morrow in a jiffy; excellent quality reversible Smyrna Rugs, 10.5 long by 7.6 wide; five patterns, green and red; actual \$12.00 value; special at **6.49**

**\$5.00 Beauvals Axminster, Special 22.98.**  
Size 9x12 feet.  
If you desire to buy a real handsome Oriental effect Parlor, Dining-Room or Library Rug, here is a chance to secure the best and most exact production of the most desirable style in the market at wonderful cut in price, which regularly is from \$35.00 to \$39.00; to-morrow you can secure one at, special, **22.98**

**65 Best Quality 10Wire Rugs, size 7x9.**  
These well-known copies of real Oriental quality Rugs on sale to-morrow; never valued at less than \$15; special at **10.98**

**45 Reversible ArtRugs**  
Fully 5 feet by 4 feet; only 2 to each color; our regular selling price is \$2.95 each; to-morrow, special at, each, **1.75**

**27x54 Inch Axminster Rugs.**  
About 40 of the best quality 27x54 Axminster Rugs; value \$2.49; slightly imperfect; special, **1.39**

**Salvage Sale of the National Carpet Manufacturing Co.'s Stocks**  
Handsome Carpets Sold During This Sale at 1/2 Price and Sold As Is

50 Rolls National Ingrains, 36 in. wide; National Price 40c yd.; as is, **19c**  
35 Rolls National Brussels, Full 10 Wire; National Price \$1.10 yd.; as is **59c**

**100 Rolls Bigelow's \$3.00 Axminsters, 95c**  
In the choicest and most beautiful green effects, soft and restful to the eye; in a superb line of private and exclusive patterns for parlor, office, library, etc. Absolutely the most beautiful carpet ever shown in Brooklyn, of which every yard is perfect; regular price is \$3.00 per yard; sold as is a 9x12, at **95c**

**10 Rolls Hartford Brussels, Extra Heavy; National Price \$1.25 yd.; as is, 67c**  
30 Rolls Flax Axminster, Solid Color; National Price \$1.50 yd.; as is, **75c**

**Great Oilcloth Bargains**  
30c Oilcloths 50c Oilcloths  
6-4 widths as long as quantity lasts, **18c** All widths, as long as quantity lasts, a sq. yd., **25c**  
Cork Linoleum, guaranteed perfect; excellent make, choicest patterns; 2 yards wide; worth 69c to 75c a square yard, at **31c**  
A Great Bargain—\$1.10 Cork Linoleum Sacrificed at **49c**  
The most startling Linoleum Sale of the year. Genuine Cork Linoleum of the well-known seamless quality, 16-4 or 4 yards wide and 1/2 inch thick, in handsome carpet and tile patterns of the best wearing colors known; regular \$1.10 quality; sq. yd., **49c**